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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of: Gregory T. Thompson et al.

Appln. No.: 10/682,592

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Filed: October 8, 2003

Art Unit: 3661

For: WET SEAT PROTECTION FOR AIR BAG  
CONTROL OCCUPANT DETECTION

Attorney Docket No: 9415-9062

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**Attached is/are:**

Information Disclosure Statement and Copy of EP Search Report  
 Return Receipt Postcard

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 Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.  
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 The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

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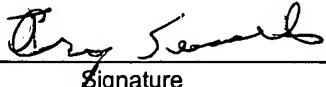
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#### SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

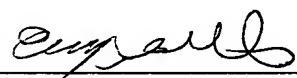
Enclosed is a copy of a European Examination report for an application which claims priority to the same application as the above-captioned application. Some of the claims in the EP case are the same or similar to the claims in the above-captioned application. In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is

respectfully requested that this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and considered by the Examiner.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(g),(h), this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

This Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of the first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these material, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

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